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Held at the Austria Center Vienna,
on Monday, 8 April 1991, at 4.35 p.m.

President: Mr. ABASCAL (Mexico)

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The meeting was called to order at 4.35 p.m.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE DRAFTING COMMITTEE (agenda item 7) (continued)

1. The PRESIDENT said that the General Committee had proposed that the Drafting Committee should consist of the following 14 members: the representatives of China, Egypt, France, Germany, Guinea, Mexico, Morocco, Nigeria, Philippines, Spain, Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, United Kingdom, United States of America. They had been selected with the aim of ensuring a satisfactory linguistic balance. In the absence of an objection, he would take it that the Conference wished to consider the Drafting Committee so established.

2. It was so decided.

CREDENTIALS OF REPRESENTATIVES TO THE CONFERENCE (agenda item 6) (continued)

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3. The PRESIDENT said that the representative of Saudi Arabia, who had been appointed as a member of the Credentials Committee at the previous meeting, would be unable to serve on that body. The Asian States had agreed to nominate the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to replace him. He took it that the Conference endorsed that nomination and approved the appointment.

4. It was so decided.

ELECTION OF VICE-PRESIDENTS OF THE CONFERENCE AND OF A CHAIRMAN OF EACH OF THE MAIN COMMITTEES (agenda item 5) (continued)

5. Ms. MOTJOLOPANE (Lesotho), speaking on behalf of the African States, nominated Gabon for the remaining vacant post of Vice-President.

6. The PRESIDENT took it that the Conference wished to consider the head of delegation or representative of Gabon to be elected a Vice-President of the Conference.

7. It was so decided.

The meeting rose at 4.40 p.m.